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than he possessed at the time the will was made; nor by the concurrence of all the above circumstances: *Hoitt* v. *Hoitt*, 61 N. H.

Declarations of a testator to the effect that he understood a will made by him was revoked, are not admissible on the question of revocation: *Id.*

Declarations of a testator as to his intention in the disposition of his property, are not competent evidence from which to ascertain his intention as expressed in the will: *Id.*

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